*DEFINITIONS OF COMMON PARTS OF SPEECH*

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| **Part****of Speech** | **Definition** | **Examples** |
| noun | name of a person, place, thing, or idea | Rocky Mountains, book, moose, Jessica, warmth, car, Calgary Tower, Canada, cabin, children  |
| verb | expresses an action or a state of being | sleep, skip, think, write, sniff, wait, am, ride, omit, empty  |
| adjective | describes a noun | pride, green, Spanish, lots, large, happy, third, some  |
| adverb | expresses an emotion (tells where, when, how, or why) | successfully, often, very, foolishly, quite, too, seldom, never  |
| conjunction | joins parts of a sentence together | and, or, but, neither, because, while, since, although  |
| pronoun | replaces a noun already used | he, she, we, my, mine, they, theirs |
| preposition | introduces a phrase | at, on, until, past, for, from, up, under, beside, after |
| interjection | expresses a strong emotion | wow, ouch, no, yikes, hooray |